The Swedish American Patriotic League

presents the

116th Midsummer

Saturday ~ June 19, 2010

Sveadal

8220 Croy Road

Morgan Hill, California

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Saturday ~ June 19th

10:00 AM	Gate opens for admission to Midsummer Swedish Boutiques
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM	Pool Open
10:00 AM - 3:00 PM	Kaffe och kakor on the Clubhouse Patio
11:00 AM - 3:00 PM	Clubhouse Open for Viewing
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Maypole Decorating
11:30 AM - 2:30 PM	Midsummer Café at the Basketball Court
12:00 PM	Raising of the Maypole (Children's Dances)
1:00 PM	Sveadal Tour-Meet at the Maypole
3:00 PM	Sveadal Tour-Meet at the Maypole
4:30 PM	Midsummer Prelude on the Lawn
5:00 PM	Parade and Midsummer Program Clubhouse Lawn
6:30 PM	Dancing around the Maypole-Maypole Lawn
7:00 PM - 8:00 PM	Dinner at the Clubhouse
8:00 PM - 12:00 AM	Dancing Under the Stars Lower Dance Floor

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Recreation Park

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June 19, 2010

Dear Members and Guests:

On behalf of the Midsummer Committee and the Swedish American Patriotic League, welcome to Sveadal!

This year marks 116 Midsummer celebrations held by the Swedish American Patriotic League and we are delighted to share this tradition with you today in Sveadal. Midsummer marks the beginning of Summer and is arguably the most important holiday in Sweden. Folk legend views Midsummer as a time when magic is the strongest. How fitting that we celebrate Midsummer in Sveadal - a truly magical place.

We hope you enjoy today's celebration and look forward to many, many more.

Glad Midsommar!

Michael W. Nichelini
President
Swedish American Patriotic League

CONSULATE GENERAL
OF SWEDEN
San Francisco

Welcome to the Swedish American Patriotic League's 116th Midsummer celebration here at Svea dal!

I regret that I will miss this occasion to celebrate Midsummer in the most traditional of ways. I'm sure you'll have your usual beautiful weather in Svea dal and know that you must all be very happy that you can dance around the Midsummer pole in warm and sunny weather.

As you are celebrating this glorious midsummer at Svea dal, Her Royal Highness Crown Princess Victoria is celebrating her wedding day with Mr. Daniel Westling in Stockholm. A historic moment!

Glad Midsommar to all of you and kudos to the organizers of this remarkable event!

Barbro S. Osher

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The Swedish American Patriotic League

San Francisco East Bay Chapter

Wishes one and all a Happy Midsummer
on its
116th Consecutive Midsummer Festival

The Swedish American Patriotic League, a congress of local organizations, is dedicated to promoting and perpetuating our common Swedish Heritage. The League is grateful to all the officers and delegates of the League as well as to the officers and members of all constituent organizations for a century of selfless devotion and labor promoting the activities of Swedish Americans in the San Francisco Bay Area. We pledge to continue their work and legacy for the benefit of future generations.

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The Officers of the Swedish American Patriotic League would like to thank the many committee members and friends for their support and efforts in continuing this annual tradition.

SWEDISH AMERICAN PATRIOTIC LEAGUE - SAN FRANCISCO
Presidents

1895	Dr. Frederick Westerberg (July to July)
1896	Dr. Frederick Westerberg
1897	Hjalmar Brunell
1898	C. K. Kjellstrom
1899	Andrew Olson
1900	Dr. Oscar Gruggel
1901	Emil Hogberg
1902	Daniel Molander
1903-1907	Alexander Olsson
1908	Richard Dyberg
1909	F. Otto Sjogren
1910	Dr. A. O. Lindstrom
1911	George Moren (to July 1912)
1912-1914	Gottfred Peterson
1914-1915	Harry Mentzer
1915-1916	C. T. Peterson
1916-1917	Adrian Peterson
1917-1918	Bernard Anderson
1918-1919	Dr. Charles J. Lander
1919-1920	Anton Carlson
1920-1921	Captain Charles Swanson
1921-1922	Alf Turnross
1922-1923	Sven H. Svenson
1923-1924	Nels A. Hanson
1924-1925	Albin Westermark
1925-1926	George Larson
1926-1927	Erik W. Strom
1927-1928	Albin M. Samuelson
1928-1929	Einar G. Wennerblad
1929-1930	Oscar Nelson
1930-1931	Karl Yngve
1931-1932	Axel V. Johnson
1932-1933	Gus Nordstrom
1933-1934	John M. Jacobson
1934-1935	Nels Oscar Nelson
1935-1936	Walter J. Matson
1936-1937	Nils Erik Johnsson
1937-1938	N. Arvid Soderman
1938-1939	Herman Ahlgren
1939-1940	Martin Nelson
1940-1941	Hugo Theodore Alexander Olsson
1941-1942	Dr. Carl E. Widing
1942-1943	Einer Johnson
1943-1944	Aron Swanson
1944-1945	John O. Peterson
1945-1946	Carl Strom
1946-1947	Fritz E. Swanson
1947-1948	Elsie Winquist
1948-1949	Andrew Olson Field
1949-1950	Arthur Winquist
1950-1951	Stanley E. Gustavson
1951-1952	Erland Siren
1952-1953	Alf Carstens
1953-1954	Herbert Strom
1954-1955	Sigurd Mortenson
1955-1956	George Norin
1956-1957	Ramona K. Talbot
1957-1958	E. Ernest Gustafson
1958-1959	Carl W. Svenson
1959-1960	George Frykberg
1960-1961	Fred A. Isackson (to Nov. 1961)
1961-1962	Raymond Lundgren
1962-1963	Kenneth Carlson
1963-1964	Stanley Dahlberg
1964-1965	Walter Nyland
1965-1966	Erik G. Erikson
1966-1967	Gertrude Swanson Harrington
1967-1968	Hilding Nystrom
1968-1969	Dagmar Woinski
1969-1970	Roy T. Anderson
1970-1971	Ann Marie Van Horn
1971-1972	Richard Van Horn
1972-1974	Kenneth Wickholm
1974-1975	Carl Mattman
1975-1976	Fred A. Isackson
1976-1977	Tom Juul
1977-1978	Harry J. Talbot
1978-1979	Susan Bianucci
1979-1980	Ernest Ferrari
1980-1981	Kenneth Weissenborn
1981-1982	Byron Jack Massey
1982-1983	Sverker (Gus) Brolin
1983-1984	Dennis Severson
1984-1985	Ted Olsson
1985-1986	James O'Connor
1986-1987	Louise Vogelsberg
1987-1988	Jim Bodine
1988-1989	Vonne Thurman
1989-1990	Mary Ann Nichelini
1990-1991	Greg St. Clair
1991-1992	Donald Morrison
1992-1993	Carol Anderson
1993-1994	Kurt Talbot
1994-1995	Carol Nichelini Madigan
1995-1996	Harry J. Talbot
1996-1997	Fred Vogelsberg
1997-1999	Dennis Anderson
1999-2001	Karin Massey Sayegh
2001-2002	Michael Bray
2002-2003	Axel Jonasson
2003-2005	Paul Beroza
2005-2006	Charlotte Weissenborn
2006-2008	Twinkle Peterson
2008-2010	Michael W. Nichelini

SWEDISH AMERICAN PATRIOTIC LEAGUE
SAN FRANCISCO

In January 1895, the Swedish American Patriotic League was formed as an outgrowth of the Sweden Day committee for the Midwinter Fair in 1894. The idea of a permanent Swedish central organization to coordinate similar events in the future was proposed. The League was to consist of representatives from all interested Swedish organizations in the Bay Area, with the number of delegates to be determined by the number of members in each organization. The goals of the organization were: (1) to be active on behalf of Swedes in California by supporting their mutual interest; (2) to encourage them to act together; (3) to arrange for a celebration of Midsummer Day; (4) to assist and help interested countrymen; and (5) to promote the acquisition of a Swedish building. The present organizations that are members of the League are: the Swedish Society of San Francisco, Swedish Ladies of San Francisco, Swedish Club of San Francisco and the Bay Area, Sveadal Club, Sveadal Cabin Owners' Association, together with the following lodges of the Vasa Order of America (now open to all related to or with an interest in Sweden and Scandinavia) - Fylgia Lodge, VOA #119 of San Francisco, Lindbergh Lodge, VOA #494 of Palo Alto, Linnéa Lodge, VOA #504 of Petaluma, and Svea Lodge, VOA #348 of San Jose.

The League's member organizations have acted together as a group to entertain various people of distinction including members of the Royal Family. The League has played an active role in all San Francisco fairs: the Midwinter Fair of 1894 (all future member organizations participated in this and it was the impetus for the League's founding), the Pan Pacific Exposition of 1915 and the World's Fair of 1939-1940. The League and its constituent organizations support various endeavors to further Swedish cultural activities. The Sveadal property purchased in 1926 was envisioned first as a retirement home and eventually as a summer resort for members. The Clubhouse was dedicated by Crown Prince Gustav Adolph that same year. That lovely old historic building was completely destroyed by fire in 1979. The League worked diligently to replace it and completed the new building in 1986. The new Clubhouse was dedicated by the Crown Prince's granddaughter Princess Christina in 1988. Much of Sveadal's activities today revolve around the operation, upkeep and improvement of the Sveadal summer facility. There are 49 privately owned cabins on the 108 acre property. There are 10 rental units on the premises for the enjoyment of members and their friends. Weekly family dinners and numerous sporting events are held throughout the summer. Member organizations take advantage of the beautiful country setting and plan club outings to enjoy the unique and peaceful surroundings.

A Midsummer festival has been held every year since the first one by the Scandinavian Society in 1859. The Swedish American Patriotic League held its first one at the Midwinter Fair in 1894. This is the longest festival of its kind outside of Sweden. The festival has been at Sveadal since 1968. It is part of our Swedish and American cultural legacy that we, the descendants of the wave of immigrants that came to this country during the 19th century, are preserving for the enjoyment and education of our children.

SWEDISH SOCIETY OF SAN FRANCISCO

The Swedish Society of San Francisco is the oldest Swedish Organization on the West Coast. It was formed in 1873 as a singing club. The first president was N.P Jacobson. In 1873 the members decided that they wanted a broader goal as a mutual benefit organization for members in need. They also began sponsoring Swedish literary and social entertainment. The chorus remained active for a number of years as a part of a now larger club. They established a library that was housed in Scandia Hall, a building which was located on the site of the current San Francisco Public Library. Scandia Hall was destroyed in the 1906 earthquake and fire. The Society thereupon acquired property near the corner of Sanchez and Market Streets and built the present Swedish American Hall, which was completed in December 1907. The Hall is being refurbished and improved, the first stage of which has been the creation of a reception area on the street floor. The fourth floor of the building has been leased without cost to a newly formed charitable public benefit corporation known as the Swedish Cultural Heritage Foundation of Northern California for an archive room and library with displays of books, pictures and records of the several Swedish organizations. Today the Society functions as a service club for the management, maintenance and operation of this beautiful historic old building. Membership is open to men and women who have time, resources and skills to contribute to the ongoing improvement program intended to make the Hall a high profile meeting center for the benefit of people of Swedish and Scandinavian descent. The Swedish Society together with the Swedish Cultural Heritage Foundation is currently engaged in a fund raising campaign to finance the cost of installing an elevator and handicap restrooms. Current officers of the Swedish Society are: Ernst Jensen, President, Bengt Sandberg Vice President/Treasurer, and Robert H. Peterson, Secretary.

SWEDISH LADIES OF SAN FRANCISCO

The Swedish Ladies' Society of San Francisco was formed in 1896 at the behest of the Swedish Men's Society, whose members wanted their wives to have a safety net organization to assist those in need from bereavement, sickness or ill fortune. There were 105 charter members. Membership was limited to Swedish women either by birth, marriage, or descent. Selma Soderberg Hanson was the first president. The goals of the organization were to provide financial help to members in need and also to further Swedish culture in the new land. Membership is now available only for social activities. The club has provided good fellowship for its members now numbering about 21. They have a lovely Christmas party each December. Meetings are held at the Swedish Hall on the second Thursday of the month and usually involve lunch, games, and good conversation. Many of the members are the daughters, granddaughters, and great granddaughters of the original members. Current officers are: Yvonne Felch, President, Jean Stohl Nelson, Secretary/Treasurer.

SWEDISH CLUB OF SAN FRANCISCO AND THE BAY AREA

The Swedish Club was formed in 1913 by Dr. A. O. Lundstrom and a group of Swedish businessmen of the Bay Area. There were 18 gentlemen at the first meeting. The primary purpose of the new organization was to show courtesy to visiting businessmen from Sweden, to entertain and assist them during their stay here. They wanted to enhance relationships between Sweden and America and open up business possibilities in both directions. It was an early day networking endeavor. Their second goal was to promote and enhance Swedish culture in the new land. Membership was limited to Swedish men, their male descendants and those married to Swedish women. Membership is now open to men and women with a Swedish connection. Associate membership is open to all Scandinavians and to those interested in Swedish culture. Club activities are held the second Wednesday of the month in Burlingame with dinner and beverages served. The programs usually feature some aspect of Swedish culture. They have a big Julfest and Lucia party in December, an annual crayfish dinner in the fall, a wine tasting picnic, and celebration of Midsummer at Sveadal in June. Membership now stands at around 230 charming people. The members of this club have always prided themselves on having a good time while highlighting Swedish customs in music, dancing, holidays, and ethnic enlightenment.

SVEADAL CLUB

The Sveadal Club was formed in 1949 with George Norin as the first president. The original group of five swelled to 60 at the first gathering and then to about 90 within a short time. The purpose of the organization was to maintain and improve the Sveadal recreation grounds and to promote traditional Swedish customs with particular attention to supporting youth participation. From the beginning, this group has been successful in its mission as it has provided much of the materials, labor and money for the maintenance of the grounds and improvement projects instituted over the years. Work weekends are held in the spring to get the park ready for summer activities. Club members meet annually for a ski trip, and every year the club sponsors a golf tournament, Sveadal Day costume party, and Christmas celebration complete with Lucia procession. Meetings are held in February, May, October, and as needed. Prospective members must be at least 18 years of age and have demonstrated a willingness to fulfill the club's goals. Membership is now about 300.

SVEADAL CABIN OWNERS' ASSOCIATION

The Sveadal Cabin Owners' Association was formed in May 1974. All cabin owners are members of this important organization. The first president was Earl Harvey. There are currently 49 cabins and most of them are represented at the meetings, held at least twice a year (May & September) or as needed. Their primary concern is with the Sveadal community problems and how to solve them, especially those involving water, fire danger, cabin maintenance, and general upkeep of the grounds. All suggestions for improvements are submitted to the Sveadal Board of Governors for approval before any action is taken. The Cabin Owners have a vested interest in keeping Sveadal in top shape and contribute many volunteer hours to achieve this goal. They are heavily involved in almost every aspect of Sveadal especially during the summer and participate in all of the activities for adults and for children.

FYLGIA LODGE, VOA #119 OF SAN FRANCISCO

Fylgia Lodge, the first Vasa organization in the Bay Area, formed in 1907. The first chairman was G. Alfred Johnson with a starting group of 34 members. The Vasa Order was created to probvide a social safety net for Swedish immigrant members to the United States, providing comfort and community by retaining the language, culture, and traditions of their homeland. Fylgia in Norse mythology was a person or family's tutelary guardian spirit. The club was famous for its drill teams. Meetings, held the second Tuesday each month at the Swedish American Hall in San Francisco, feature various aspects of Scandinavian culture. Membership is open to everyone of Scandinavian heritage by descent or marriage or simply with an abiding interest in the culture and contributions. There are currently about 50 members.
Visit us at: www.scandinavius.com/vasa/fylgia

LINDBERGH LODGE, VOA #494 OF PALO ALTO

Lindbergh Lodge was organized in 1927 with Ernest Thorson, as chairman. It was named after the hero of that time, Charles Lindbergh, who had achieved the impossible, flying solo across the Atlantic. This year, the Lodge will celebrate its 83rd year. Our current membership is 95.

The primary purpose of the Lodge is to perpetuate Scandinavian heritage. Membership is open to Scandinavians and all others who express and exhibit a sincere desire to support that goal. Our monthly meetings are varied. We hold a Lucia Fest and Pageant in December and celebrate a number of other Swedish holidays.

The Lodge participates in the annual Swedish American Patriotic League Midsummer celebration at Sveadal, has a summer picnic, and participates in Scandinavian and other programs throughout the Bay Area. Monthly programs relate to the holidays, customs, history, music, and culture of Scandinavia as well as other topics of interest. They are held on the second Friday of the month, at the American Legion Hall in Los Altos, and usually feature a Scandinavian dinner, prepared by Lodge members.

LINNÉA LODGE, VOA #504 OF PETALUMA

VASA Linnea Lodge No. 504 of Petaluma will observe its 83rd Anniversary on November 28, having been chartered on that date in 1927 by the DM Allen Johnson of Fylgia Lodge No 119 of San Francisco. As with other VASA lodges of that time, Swedish was our language until the mid-forties when English prevailed. Today membership is open to persons of Scandinavian connection - - birth, marriage and others who are interested in our culture and traditions. Minimum age is 15.

Our Scholarship Program is very important to us. Tradition is very much connected to it, as our annual February Pea-Soup and Pancake Dinner (traditional on Thursdays in Sweden, followed by our lively auction are a part of our fund raising for the Scholarship Fund. In 2009 four scholarships were awarded to grandchildren of lodge members.

We schedule several dinners and events during the year, but the most popular are the Annual Midsummer Fest which is held in the beautiful gardens of a member and our very well-attended and exciting Lucia Fest and Pageant accompanied by a sumptuous Smorgasbord Buffet.

Our meetings and dinners are held on the last Friday of the month, with some exceptions, at the Veterans' Memorial Building in Petaluma. Our Website is being updated soon so keep checking for current information at www.linnealodge.com

SVEA LODGE, VOA #348 OF SAN JOSE

Svea Lodge of San Jose was formed in 1916. The first chairman was John Erlandson. They were the first organization to switch from the Swedish language to English in 1948 for the benefit of the second generation Swedes. Over the years they have sponsored a youth club and a hiking club. They specialize in celebrating Swedish holidays such as Valborgsmäsaften with a bonfire and songs and a huge Lucia celebration. In the past, they had their own Midsummer but now participate in the League festival in Sveadal. It is a very active group now comprised of about 150 members. They meet on the 3rd Friday monthly with business meetings in members' homes on the 4th Friday. Programs consist of history and Scandinavian culture, and include good food, singing, dancing, traditions, folklore, and fun. Their website is www.svea348.org

SWEDISH AMERICAN PATRIOTIC LEAGUE
San Francisco
www.sveadal.org

Meetings are held on the 4th Monday of the month at the Swedish American Hall in San Francisco.

President:	Michael Nichelini	(510) 229-3072
Vice President:	Sandy Watts	(925) 454-0414
Secretary:	Astrid Olsson	(415) 864-2945
Treasurer:	Rob Green	(510) 384-2232

Fylgia Lodge, VOA #119 of San Francisco

Meetings are held on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at the Swedish American Hall in San Francisco.

Chairman:	Ted Olsson	(415) 864-2945
Secretary:	Torborg Lundell	(415) 585-4919

Lindbergh Lodge, VOA #494 of Palo Alto

Meetings are held on the 4th Friday of the month at the American Legion Hall in Los Altos.

Chairman:	David Janson	(650) 969-1798
Secretary:	Bea Andrews	(650) 948-8018

Linnéa Lodge, VOA #504 of Petaluma

Meetings are held on the 4th Friday of the month at the Veterans Memorial Building in Petaluma.

Chairman:	Lorentz Koagedal	(707) 763-7728
Secretary:	Irene Clark	(707) 554-6160

Svea Lodge, VOA #348 of San Jose

Meetings are held on the 3rd Friday of the month at the Odd Fellows Hall in San Jose.

Chairman:	Perr Cardestam	(650) 966-8346
Secretary:	Perci Cardestam	(650) 966-8346

Sveadal Cabin Owners' Association

Meetings are held in May and September in Sveadal.

President:	Mark Hanley	(415) 924-4550
Secretary:	Karen Appleby	(650) 589-3613

Sveadal Club

Meetings are held in February, May & October at various locations.

President:	Linda Beroza	(650) 593-3872
Secretary:	Conor Massey	(707) 251-5760

Swedish Club of San Francisco and Bay Area

Meetings are held on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at the Burlingame Women's Club in Burlingame.

President:	Lars Ortenblad	(510) 733-5532
Secretary:	Irene O'Dell	(650) 347-0868

Swedish Ladies' Society of San Francisco

Meetings are held on the 2nd Thursday of the month (12:00 PM) at the Swedish American Hall in San Francisco.

President:	Yvonne Felch	(415) 333-5603
Secretary:	Jean Stohl Nelson	(707) 644-8642

Swedish Society of San Francisco

Meetings are held on the 2nd Thursday of the month at the Swedish American Hall in San Francisco.

President:	Ernst Jensen	(707) 644-2080
Secretary:	Robert Peterson	(209) 668-1820

The Sveadal Club, celebrating its 61st year, would like to wish everyone a Glad Midsommar!

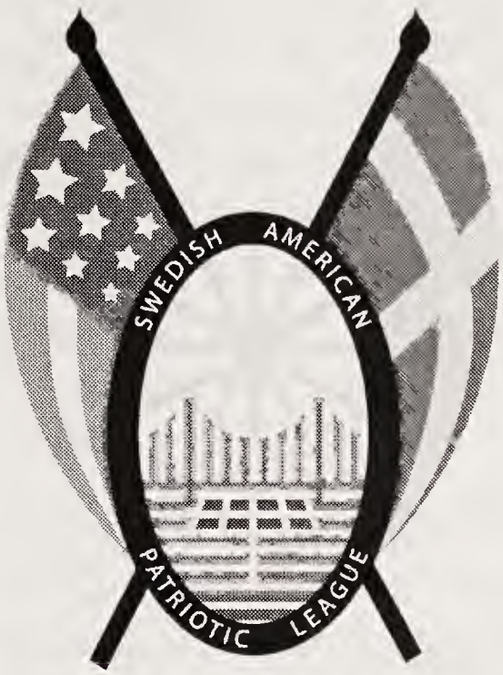
Congratulations to our Maid of Honor

Kelsey Hanley

and

Happy 84th Anniversary to Sveadal

The Best Of This 116th SAPL Midsummer To All



Many, Many Thanks To All The Volunteers
Who Worked So Tirelessly To Make This
Midsummer Celebration A Success!

Glad Midsommar

Swedish American Patriotic League
President: Michael Nichelini
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Treasurer: Rob Green

Swedish American Patriotic League - East Bay Chapter Presidents

1917	Aron Wilhelm Gustafson
1917-1918	N. G. Lindgren
1918-1919	Ed C. Johnson
1919-1920	Agnes Anderson
1920-1921	Emil Carlson
1921-1922	Charles Blom
1922-1923	H. (Harry) Swanson
1923-1924	O. (Otto) A. Seeborg
1924-1925	Carl Anderson
1925-1926	Leonard Peterson
1926-1927	A. B. Celander
1927-1929	Ed Bergstrom
1929-1930	Gustsav Soonson
1930-1931	K. E. Hanson
1931-1932	C. E. Arvidson
1932-1933	Carla. Nordstrom
1933-1934	Emil Person
1934-1935	John V. Arnell
1935-1936	Emil Wilhelm Gustafson
1936-1937	W. Holm
1937-1938	P. T. Erikson
1938-1939	Charles Staberg
1939-1940	Ivar Menton
1940-1941	Anders Kilstrom
1941-1942	H. C. Morton
1942-1943	Alder Sakrison
1943-1944	Matt Johnson
1944-1945	Olga Soonson
1945-1946	Otto Johnson
1946-1947	Carl W. Peterson
1947-1948	Otto Nordgren
1948-1949	Albert Carlson
1949-1950	Bert Ericson
1950-1951	John Peterson
1951-1952	Edmund Oversen
1952-1953	Betty Nordgren
1953-1954	William Norin
1954-1955	John Matson
1955-1956	Anna Ritchey
1956-1957	Nels Edeen
1957-1958	Sigurd Seaholm
1958-1959	John Almeim
1959-1960	Charles Lindblad
1960-1961	Sven Peterson
1961-1962	Stanley Kilstrom
1962-1963	Fred Nichelini
1963-1964	Dr. Albert E. Peterson
1964-1965	Ruby Nichelini
1965-1966	Bruce Feist
1966-1967	Margit Bleher
1967-1968	Ingrid Wickstrom
1968-1970	Astri Feist
1970-1971	Gene Santos
1971-1972	John Peterson
1972-1973	Bruce Feist
1973-1975	May Rendleman
1975-1976	Bert Ericson
1976-1978	Fred Nichelini
1978-1980	Anna Lister
1980-1982	Bert Nelson
1982-1983	Gloria Nelson
1983-1984	Bert Nelson
1984-1985	Gloria Nelson
1985-1986	Bert Nelson
1986-1989	Walter Nyland
1989-1990	Gladys Peterson
1990-1992	Fred Nichelini
1992-1993	Gloria Nelson
1993-1994	Bert Nelson
1994-1996	Susan Nelson
1996-1998	Marie-Ann Hill
1998-2000	Don Morrison
2000-2003	Jan Norberg
2003-2005	Inga-Lill Fivian
2005-2008	Karin Sayegh
2008-2010	Marie Ann Hill

SWEDISH LADIES SOCIETY JENNY LIND OF OAKLAND

The Swedish Ladies' Society Jenny Lind was formed in February 1916 with 38 enthusiastic members. They were soon joined by others to bring the membership to 100. Agnes Anderson was selected as their first president. There is some evidence that Sally Benson was selected as a "past president" and may have served in some capacity that first year. Membership is open to members of Swedish birth, descent or marriage. The club first served as a sickness and death benefit to members, but changed to a social club in 1992. They have held dances, Christmas parties, and bazaars. The club commissioned a bust of Jenny Lind in 1918 which graced their meeting hall for 60 years. The sculptor Jean LeVeau was the son of the first Swedish minister to the Swedish Lutheran Church in Oakland. The bust was donated to the Swedish Consulate in 1978 and perhaps migrated to Los Angeles with the change of our consular office to an honorary one. Meetings are held on the second Thursday of the month. There are six members of the club.

TEGNER LODGE, VOA #149 OF OAKLAND

Tegner Lodge was the second Vasa Order of America lodge established in Northern California in 1908. Hilmar Anderson was the first Chairman with 20 Charter Members. The Bishop and Poet Esias Tegner was selected to honor our lodge with his name. Tegner meets every third Thursday at Bjornson Hall, Oakland, CA with the exception of July and August. July 24th is the annual picnic in Robert's Park, Oakland, CA in conjunction with Framåt Lodge of Berkeley, CA and Sveaborg Lodge,of Concord, CA. Crayfish is on the menu for August 21st and December 12th is the Lucia Julfest. Tegner Lodge is a great place to connect or reconnect with your scandinavian roots.

For more information contact:

Marie-Ann Hill, Chairperson (510) 482-3413 or Elsy Mattsson, Secretary - (925) 833-1749

SWEDISH AMERICAN PATRIOTIC LEAGUE EAST BAY CHAPTER

The Swedish American Patriotic League East Bay Chapter was founded in the fall of 1916. The purpose of the East Bay Chapter was to offer the Swedish organizations of the East Bay Area an umbrella alliance similar to that provided to their San Francisco neighbors. Their first president was Aron Wilhelm Gustafson. All of the activities that the San Francisco League engages for their member organizations are duplicated for the East Bay Swedish lodges by the East Bay Chapter. The meetings of this organization gave the individual clubs an opportunity to exchange information about their activities and to join together in efforts for larger celebrations. Many of the Swedish events and entertainments involved both sides of the Bay. The San Francisco League invited the East Bay Chapter to become a one-third partner in the Sveadal property with a similar proportion on the Board of Governors. All decisions about the betterment and operation of Sveadal are the responsibility of the Board. The East Bay Chapter is a full partner in the operation of Sveadal, the Midsummer Celebration, and other activities involving the Swedish people of the greater Bay Area. The organizations that are a part of the East Bay Chapter are: Swedish Men's Society of Oakland, Swedish Ladies' Society Jenny Lind of Oakland, and the three Vasa Order of America Clubs in the East Bay: Tegner Lodge, VOA 149 of Oakland, Framåt Lodge, VOA #405 of Berkeley, and Sveaborg Lodge, VOA #449 of Concord.

SWEDISH MEN'S SOCIETY OF OAKLAND

The Swedish Men's Society of Oakland was organized in March 1901 with 35 charter members, 18 from Oakland and 17 transferring from the San Francisco Swedish Society. The original purpose was to provide financial assistance to members in time of need. N.G. Lindgren was the first president. They also built Jenny Lind Hall in 1915 for the use of Swedish organizations in the area. The Hall was sold in 1962. The purpose of the Society today is primarily for brotherhood, good fellowship, and promoting Swedish culture. They have an annual crab feed, Julbord, and other family activities. Membership is open to all men of Swedish birth, descent, or marriage. The membership is now 12. Meetings are held monthly on the second Tuesday.

FRAMÅT LODGE, VOA #405 OF EL CERRITO

Now meeting in El Cerrito, Framåt Lodge was founded in 1921 in Berkeley, by Agnes Anderson. Vasa Order of America is a Swedish-American Fraternal Organization. Like all Vasa lodges, Framåt Lodge seeks to foster Swedish and Nordic cultural activities, including a crayfish party, smörgåsbord and Lucia Fest, a pea soup and pancake supper, and a variety of other programs and activities. The Vasa Order of America sponsors many cultural activities for adults and children, offers a variety of college, vocational and language camp scholarships, and renders financial assistance to elderly members when needed. Framåt Lodge meets on the second Friday of each month and welcomes all people who are committed to the promotion and advancement of Swedish and Nordic heritage and culture. Please contact Joanie Lindquist Graham, 510-526-5512 for more info.

SVEABORG LODGE, VOA #449 OF CONCORD

Sveaborg Lodge was organized in 1924 in Bay Point, California with 17 charter members. Present membership is 113. The lodge meets 6:30 pm the 3rd Friday of the month at the Odd Fellows Hall, 4349 Cowell Road, Concord CA 94521. Membership is open to anyone interested in promoting Nordic heritage and culture. Nordic countries are Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Finland and Iceland. The Lodge Calendar includes Meatball and Salmon Dinners, Pea Soup and Oven Pancakes, a Swedish Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser, Folk Dance Night, Viking Oktoberfest (live music and dancing), Market and Home Crafts (lefse-making demonstration) and Julfest (Smörgåsbord and Lucia). The Elin Bjork Scholarship Award is offered annually. Swedish language classes are available for interested members. Vasablad #119, the children's club sponsored by Sveaborg Lodge, performs folk dances and songs and learns Nordic crafts and cooking. Sveaborg Lodge Contacts: Membership, Solveig McDonald, 925-934-7630; Children's Club or Scholarships, Rosemary Fassl, 925-685-3954; General Information, Chairman Ray Ternstrom, 925-279-4301. You are welcome to join our vibrant Nordic group!

SWEDISH AMERICAN PATRIOTIC LEAGUE
EAST BAY CHAPTER

Meetings are held on the 2nd Thursday of the month at various locations.

President:	Marie Ann Hill	(510) 482-34131
Secretary:	Charlotte Weissenborn	(510) 651-0163
Treasurer:	Don Morrison	(510) 531-0307

Framåt Lodge, VOA #405 of Berkeley

Meetings are held on the 2nd Friday of the month (7:30 PM) at St. John's Hall in El Cerrito.

Chairman:	Robert Homer	(510) 865-5085
Secretary:	Joanie Graham	(510) 526-5512

Sveabrog Lodge, VOA #449 of Concord

Meetings are held on the the 3rd Friday of the month (7:30 PM) at the Odd Fellows Hall in Concord.

Chairman:	Don Morrison	(510) 531-0307
Secretary:	Evelyn Ternstrom	(925) 279-4301

Swedish Society of Oakland

Meetings are held on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at Björnson Hall in Oakland.

President:	Jim Helberg	(925) 228-0848
Secretary:	James Nelson	(925) 426-1546

Swedish Ladies' Society Jenny Lind of Oakland

Contact the club secretary for meeting times and locations.

President:	Genevieve Carlson	(925) 687-4786
Secretary:	Barbara Malleck	(925) 778-4892

Tegner Lodge, VOA #149 of Oakland

Meetings are held on the 3rd Thursday of the month (6:30 PM) at Björnson Hall in Oakland.

Chairman:	Marie-Ann Hill	(510) 482-3413
Secretary:	Elsy Mattson	(925) 833-1749

MIDSUMMER GREETINGS
from the
East Bay Chapter

Swedish American Patriotic League

President: Marie-Ann Hill
Vice President: Louise Vogelsberg
Secretary: Charlotte Weissenborn
Treasurer: Don Morrison

GLAD MIDSOMMAR

THE QUEEN AND COURT

Queen

Linnea Esther Sauer
Swedish Club of San Francisco and the Bay Area

Columbia

Marissa Angel
Framåt Lodge, VOA #405 of Berkeley

Svea

Allison Zalko
Swedish Ladies' Society of San Francisco

Maids of Honor

Stephanie Angel ~ Linnéa Lodge, VOA #504 of Petaluma

Alyssa Gustafson ~ Tegner Lodge, VOA #149 of Oakland

Kristy Gustafson ~ Sveadal Cabin Owners' Association

Sharon Haag ~ Sveaborg Lodge, VOA #449 of Concord

Kelsey Hanley ~ Sveadal Club

Gwen Jackson ~ Swedish Society of Oakland

Sara Lipscomb ~ Svea Lodge, VOA #348 of San Jose

Johanna Sluser ~ Swedish Society of San Francisco

Karin Stiles ~ Swedish Ladies' Society Jenny Lind of Oakland

Kelsey Stiles ~ Lindbergh Lodge, VOA #494 of Palo Alto

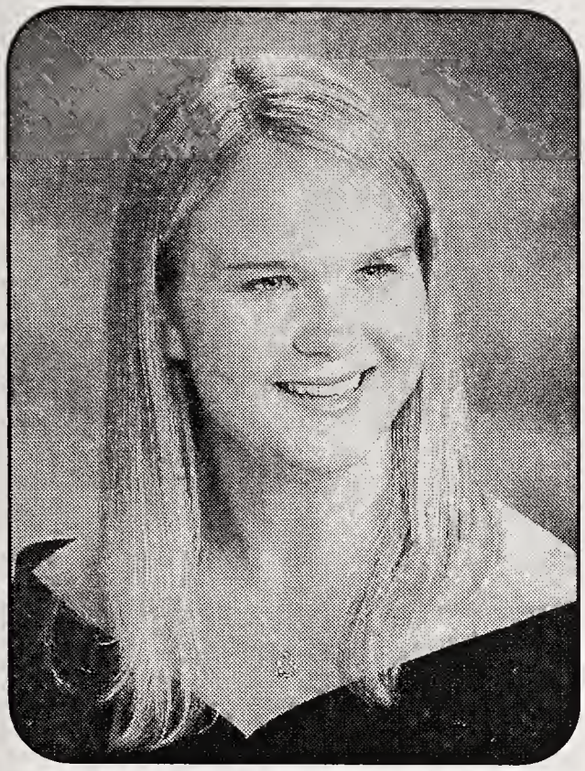
Erika Talbot ~ Fylgia Lodge, VOA #119 of San Francisco

Crown Bearer

Heather Hersh

Train Bearers

Carson Hersh
Nicholas Hersh



Linnea Sauer
Midsummer Queen

Linnea Sauer is the daughter of Hank (Henry) and Heather Sauer who were married here in Sveadal under the Olsson Oak in 1975 and who will be celebrating their 35th wedding anniversary in September. She has a brother, Hank Sauer III and now a nephew to carry on the Sauer name, Henry John Sauer IV.

Linnea recently graduated in May 2010 from California State University, Chico with a degree in Therapeutic Recreation. She will start her internship at The Santa Clara Valley Medical Center in July.

As a child growing up in Burlingame, Linnea was always involved in sports and other activities. These interests played a part in her choice of study and chosen profession. While she was at Chico State Linnea was instrumental in organizing the first "Roll thru the Park" fundraiser to help benefit Ability First Youth Sports Camp, a wheelchair based camp for teens. She has volunteered for the past two summers as a camp counselor for this organization. She hopes to someday open a facility for people with disabilities to allow them the support, physical therapy, and activities that will enhance their quality of life.

During her free time Linnea enjoys cooking, reading, outdoor activities, skiing with her family, and spending time with her friends.

Linnea has had ties to the Swedish American community through family traditions and customs as well as participation in the Swedish Club's Santa Lucia festival. Some of her fondest childhood memories are playing in the creek with her cousins while catching crawfish on summer vacations in Sveadal.

Linnea comes from a long lineage of Queens, Columbias, and Sveas and looks forward to carrying on the family tradition. Her grandmother, Alice Seebohm Duff was Columbia in 1939; her mother, Heather Duff Sauer, was the Midsummer Queen in 1971; and her aunt, Lisa Duff Stiles was Columbia in 1978. Two of her cousins have also filled the honored titles - Lindsey Stiles was Columbia in 2007 and Kelsey Stiles was Svea in 2008. Linnea feels very honored to have been selected to represent The Swedish Club of San Francisco and the Bay Area as Midsummer Queen this year.

Marissa Angel
Columbia

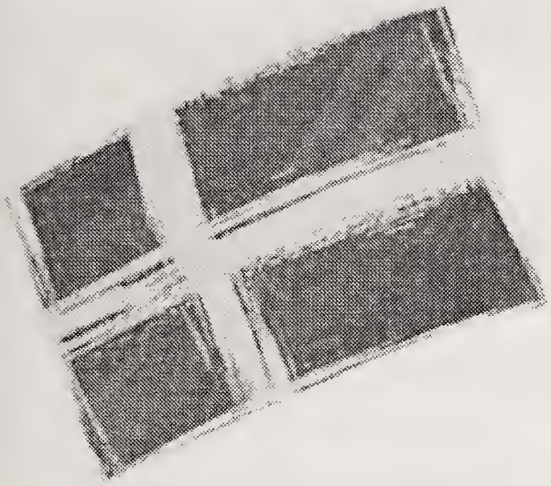
Marissa Angel has the honor and distinction of being the first in her family to be Columbia for the Swedish American Patriotic League's Midsummer festival. She is the daughter of Don Angel and Sandy Angel Watts, and recently went from being a long time cabin renter to a cabin owner in Sveadal with her mother's purchase and renovation of a cabin in 2008.

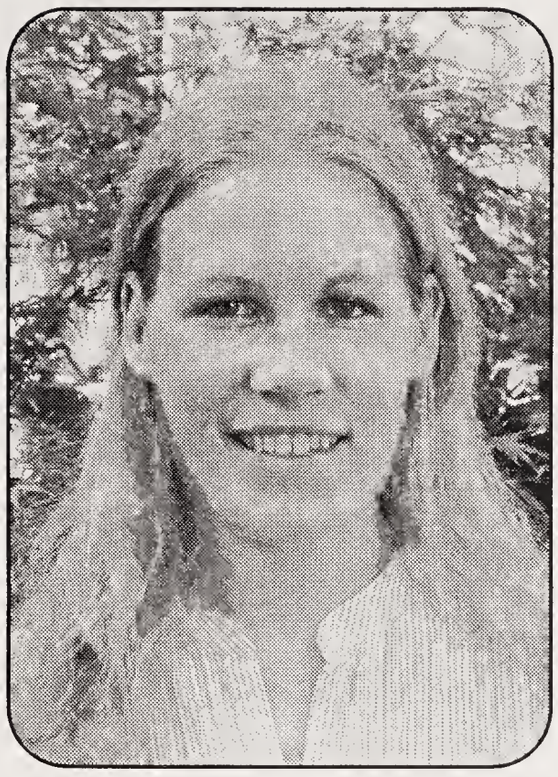
Swedish heritage has been an important part of Marissa's upbringing and she spent many of her childhood years actively participating in Santa Lucia celebrations during the holidays, as well as serving as a Maid in Sveadal's Midsummer festival on several occasions. Her grandparents, Florence and Bud Gustafson, as well as her great grandparents, Gunnar Henriksson and Elsa and Paul Gustafson, were active members of San Francisco's Swedish American community and her great aunt Dorothy Gustafson was the Midsummer Queen at Shellmound Park back in 1937.

Born and raised in Fremont, CA, Marissa earned her Bachelor's degree in Business Administration at Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo in 2006 and has since worked as a pharmaceutical representative in the Bay Area with hopes of advancing her career in medical sales. She currently lives in Lafayette, CA with her best friend and soul mate, her four year old black lab Maddi.

In her free time Marissa absorbs as much Vitamin D as possible playing golf, playing tennis, hiking, skiing, and playing in the sand, which isn't nearly as accessible as it was during her college years near the beach. She hopes to one day get her professional certification in golf and become an instructor later in life.

Marissa is honored to represent Framåt Lodge as Columbia in this year's Midsummer celebration.





Allison Zalko
Svea

Allison Zalko is honored to represent the Swedish Ladies' Society of San Francisco as Svea in this year's Midsummer Festival. Allison, 22, was born and raised in San Francisco. After graduating from Mercy High School in 2005, Allison was accepted to San Francisco State University. She will graduate in May 2011 with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Recreation, Parks, and Tourism. While completing her education, she has volunteered many hours aiding elderly individuals who suffer from Alzheimer's and dementia. Having had the desire to help others from an early age, Allison looks forward to applying the information she gains in college to real-life situations. Allison plans to continue her education, with the goal of earning a Master's Degree in Gerontology. In her spare time, Allison, an accomplished artist, enjoys painting. She also enjoys hiking and needlework.

Allison is the daughter of Edward Zalko and Linda Isackson-Zalko, granddaughter of Fred and Diana Isackson, and great-granddaughter of Axel and Elin Isackson and Einar and Erna Carlson. Both sets of great-grandparents and Allison's maternal grandparents were active in the Swedish American community in the early days of Sveadal and they instilled in Allison a sense of pride in her Swedish heritage. Axel and Elin were both past-chairmen of Fylgia Lodge and Axel was a longstanding member of Balder Lodge. Allison's grandfather Fred Isackson was President of the Swedish American Patriotic League, welcoming Prime Minister Tage Erlander to San Francisco in 1961. In Fred's second term in 1976, he welcomed King Carl XVI Gustaf to the Bay Area. Grandmother Diana was a member of Utili Dulci and Allison's mother presently serves as a Director for the Swedish American Patriotic League and is on the Sveadal Board of Governors.

Allison, a 4th-generation Swedish-American, is an active member of the Sveadal Club and views Sveadal as her second home. She considers it a privilege to be part of the community and enjoys taking early morning walks in the natural surroundings. Last summer Allison did volunteer work in Sveadal and looks forward to another summer offering her services.

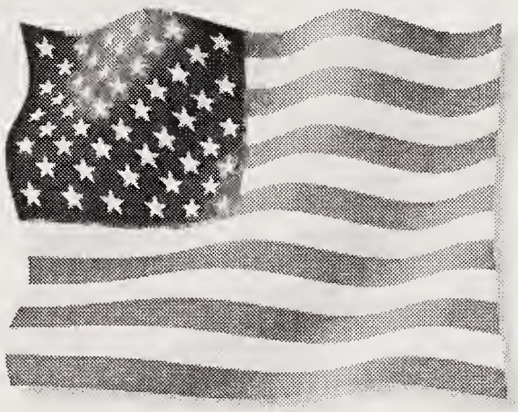
The Swedish American Patriotic League of San Francisco Congratulates

Det Kungliga Bröllopet

Crown Princess Victoria and Mr. Daniel Westling

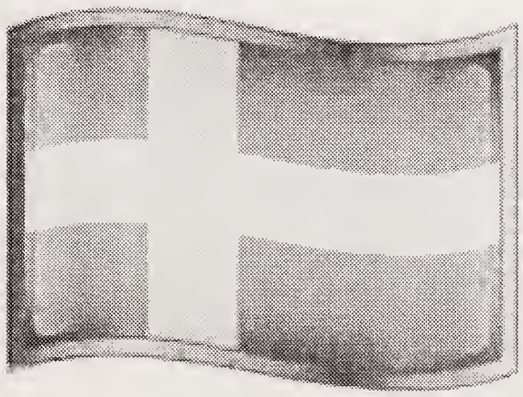
on their marriage
and dedicates this Midsummer Celebration in Sveadal
to the newly wedded couple.

THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER



Oh say, can you see
By the dawn's early light
What so proudly we hailed
At the twilight's last gleaming?
Whose broad stripes and bright stars
Through the perilous fight
O'er the ramparts we watched,
Were so gallantly streaming?
And the rocket's red glare
The bombs bursting in air
Gave proof through the night
That our flag was still there.
Oh say, does that star spangled banner yet wave
O'er the land of the free
And the home of the brave?

DU GAMLA, DU FRIA



Du gamla, du fria, du fjällhöga Nord,
du tysta, du glädjerika sköna!
Jag hälsar dig vänasta land uppå jord
din sol, din himmel, dina ängder gröna!
Din sol, din himmel, dina ängder gröna!

Du tronar på minnen från fornstora dar,
då ärat ditt namn flög över jorden.
Jag vet, att du är och du blir, vad du var.
Ja, jag vill leva, jag vill dö i Norden,
Ja, jag vill leva, jag vill dö i Norden

Translation

You ancient, you freeborn, you mountainous North,
You peaceful, you joy abundant splendor!
Hail you the loveliest land on Earth
Your sun, your sky, your beautiful green meadows!
Your sun, your sky, your beautiful green meadows!

Enthroned on the memories from great days of yore,
When worldwide your name was nobly honored.
I know, by your name you are true as before.
Yes, I would live, I would die in Sweden,
Yes, I would live, I would die in Sweden!

116th Annual Midsummer Program
Saturday ~ June 19, 2010
Sveadal Clubhouse Lawn

Midsummer Prelude	TC Brewitz
Processional Music	Jan Nordin, Kikki Nordin, Michael Nordin Daniel Nordin & Carolyn Anderson
Parade Marshals	Rena & Carl Matman

Dwayne Erickson, Fylgia Lodge Flag Bearer
Corporal Matthew Nelson, United States Marine Corps
SAPL Officers (San Francisco & East Bay Chapter)
Swedish Costume Group
Maids of Honor
Columbia
Svea
Crown Bearer
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Train Bearers

Master of Ceremonies	Michael Nichelini President SAPL San Francisco
National Anthems "The Star Spangled Banner" "Du Gamla, Du Fria"	 Daria "Twinkle" Peterson Marie Ann Hill
Welcome	Michael Nichelini
Crowning of the 2010 Midsummer Queen	Michael Nichelini

Songs by Sveadal Children	Lisa Larson Fitch
Presentation of Columbia	Sandy Angel Watts Vice President SAPL San Francisco
Midsummer Greetings	Michael Nichelini on behalf of the Consul General, Ms. Barbro Osher
Presentation of Svea	Marie-Ann Hill President SAPL East Bay Chapter
Swedish Melodies	TC Brewitz
Introduction of Maids of Honor	Ted Olsson Past President SAPL San Francisco
Parade to the Maypole & Dancing Around the Maypole	Jan Nordin & Karin Forsell

Dancing Until Midnight at the Lower Dance Floor

Neal Hemming ~ DJ
and
Scandinavian Music
by
Kurt Talbot, Carolyn Anderson & Tim Rued

2010 Sveadal Midsummer Parade Marshals

Rena & Carl Mattman

Rena and Carl met on a blind date as teenagers in 1948. They were married two years later on August 12th in Reno. Carl was drafted on March 1, 1951 and shipped out to Korea 3 days before their 1 year wedding anniversary. Carl returned to the states in July 1952. Carl and Rena had three children by 1959.

Mary Ann and Erik Erikson got them involved in Sveadal in the early 1960's. Carl became the Sveadal Club President in 1967. Rena was the Corresponding Secretary in the late 1960's. They bought their cabin in 1970.

Carl became the Vice President of the Swedish American Patriotic League in 1972 and was elected President in 1974.

Carl and Rena will be celebrating 60 years of marriage on August 12th and were chosen as Parade Marshals as a symbol of the Crown Princess' Wedding in Sweden.

Thank you Carl and Rena and Congratulations!

LINDBERGH LODGE, VOA #494 of PALO ALTO
WISH YOU ALL
GLAD 116th MIDSOMMAR

We are pleased and proud to have Kelsey Stiles represent Lindbergh Lodge as a Maid of Honor. She is a graduate of Cal Poly San Luis Obispo, a case manager for a professional fiduciary in San Mateo and coaches volleyball at Aragon High School and Borel Middle School in San Mateo.

Chairman	Treasurer	Secretary
David Janson	Sandie Hersh	Bea Andrews
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GLAD MIDSOMMAR

The Van Horns

Ann Marie

Karen

Richard, Rick & Dylan

Jeff, Elise, Stephanie & Bryan

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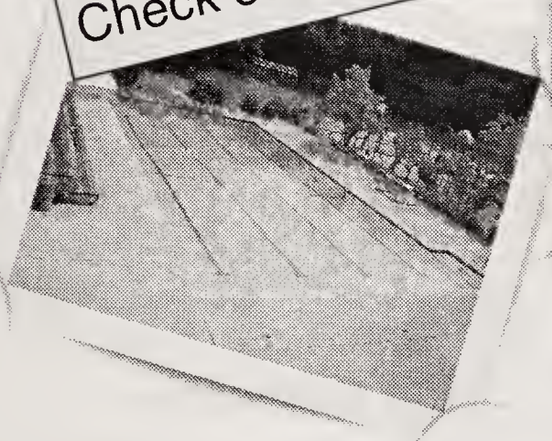
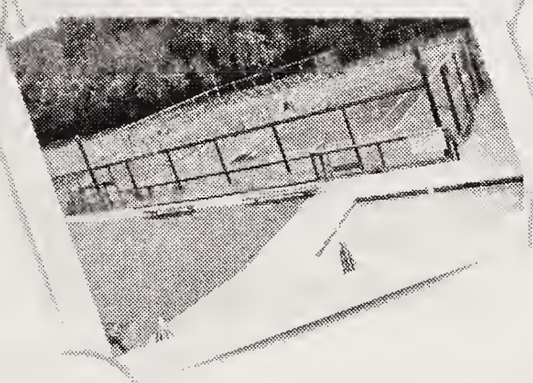
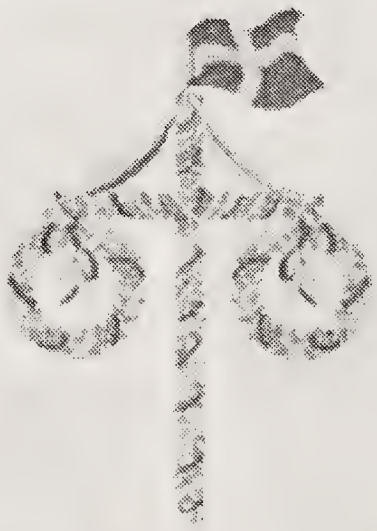




Rental Cabins Available (As of June 20, 2009)

June 20 - June 27 ❖ Cabin 8
July 11 - July 18 ❖ Cabin 1 & 3 - Apartment 3
July 18 - July 25 ❖ Cabin 3 & 8 - Apartment 1
July 25 - August 1 ❖ Cabin 8 & 9 - Apartment 1, 2, & 4
August 1 - August 8 ❖ Cabin 1, 7, 8, & 9 - Apartment 1 & 4
August 8 - August 15 ❖ Apartment 1
August 15 - August 22 ❖ Cabin 1- Apartment 1, 2 & 4
August 22 - August 29 ❖ Cabin 1, 2, 3, 8 & 9 - Apartment 1, 2 & 4

GREETINGS and HAPPY SUMMER
TO ALL OF OUR
SAPL and VASA FRIENDS
from
LINNÉA LODGE, VOA #504 of PETALUMA



Thanks to the Midsummer Committee
and all the volunteers for making this celebration possible.

Glad Midsommar!

Paul, Linda, Anita, Pavlik, and Stephen Beroza

Glad Midsummer!

from

Marissa Angel

Columbia

Stephanie Angel

Maid of Honor, Linnéa Lodge

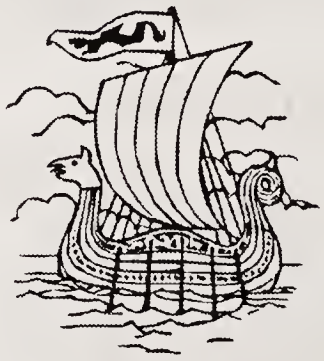
and their family

Sandy & Rick Watts

Florence Gustafson

Cheers to many, many Midsummer Celebrations to come!

Har en rolig och trevlig tid.
Glad Midsommar!



Muriel Nelson Beroza and Family

Glad Midsommar!

Lillian Walker
Nancy & Jack Hysong
Susan & Fred Bianucci

Glad Midsummer!

Vera and Herb Strom

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The Weissenborn Family

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Mark, Karin, Ryan, and Lauren Slack

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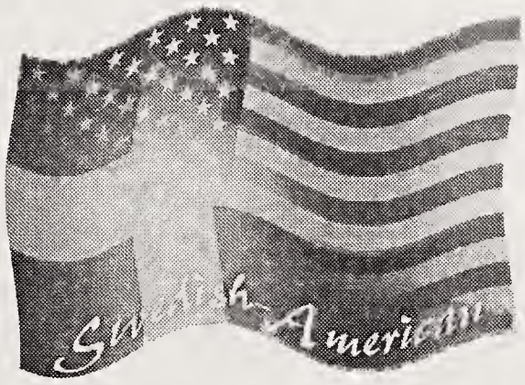

Congratulations Michael on another year as President
of the
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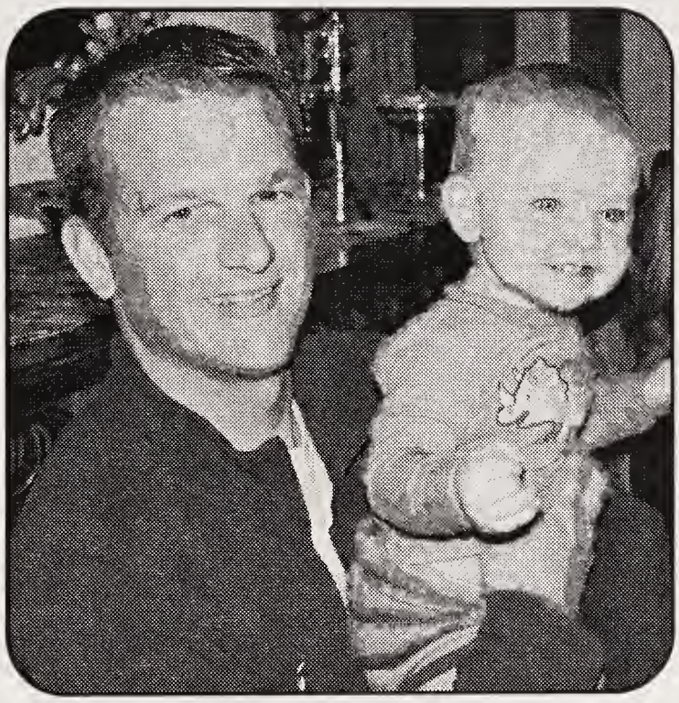


Mike with his nephew Carson

Welcome to Carson John Nichelini
One year old on July 7th!

Bob and Mary Ann Nichelini
Mike and Eve Nichelini
Matthew, Dana, Ella, and Carson Nichelini

The Swedish Ladies' Society

of San Francisco

and

Svea,

Allison Zalko

Wish everyone a

"Glad Midsommar" 2010

President

Yvonne Felch

Secretary

Jean Stohl Nelson

Congratulations SAPL

on your 116th year

GLAD MIDSOMMAR

The Talbots

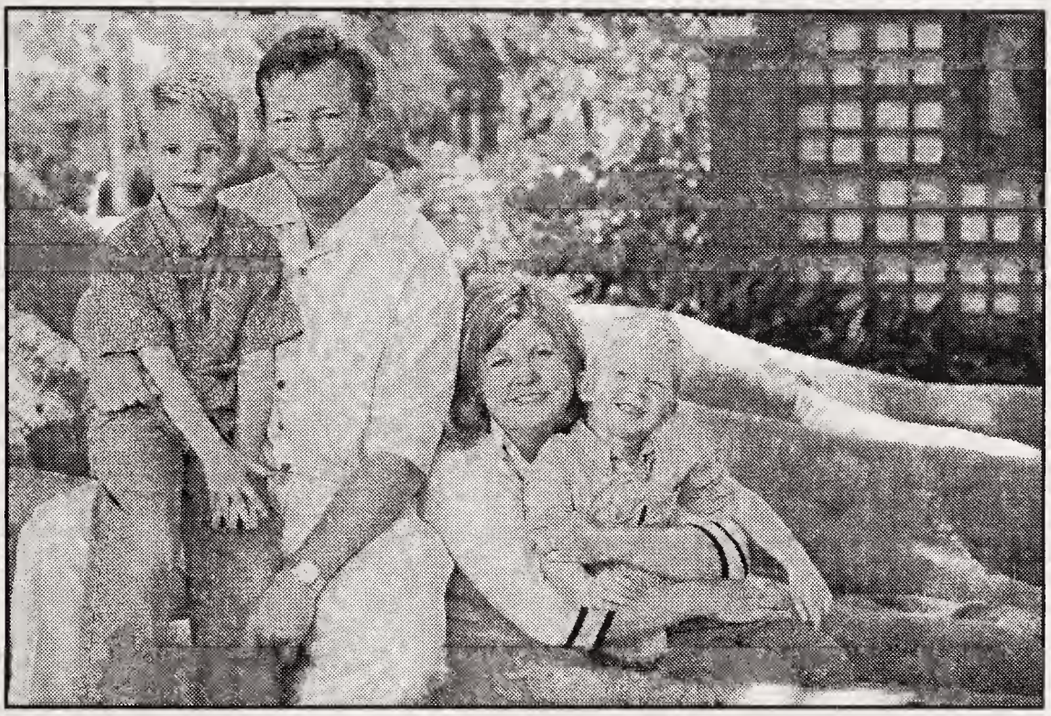
Harry & Carol

Kurt & Marilyn

Christopher, Alexandra & Erika

GLAD MIDSOMMAR 2010!!!

FROM THE GREEN / KRUGER FAMILY



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Congratulations to our Maid of Honor Alyssa Gustafson

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Vice Chairman	Ken Weissenborn
Secretary	Elsy Mattsson
Treasurer	Jess Lane

Lodge Events:

July	Tri-Lodge Picnic
August	Crayfish Dinner
December	Santa Lucia and Julfest

Contact

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Gratulationer till vår Midsommar
Maid of Honor
Sharon Haag

Glad Midsommar till alla!
Sveaborg Lodge, VOA #449 of Concord

Wishing everyone a
Glorious Day
In our Beautiful Sveadal
Glad Midsommar!

The Masseys and Sayeghs

Stephen Spelman
D.D.S., F.A.G.D.

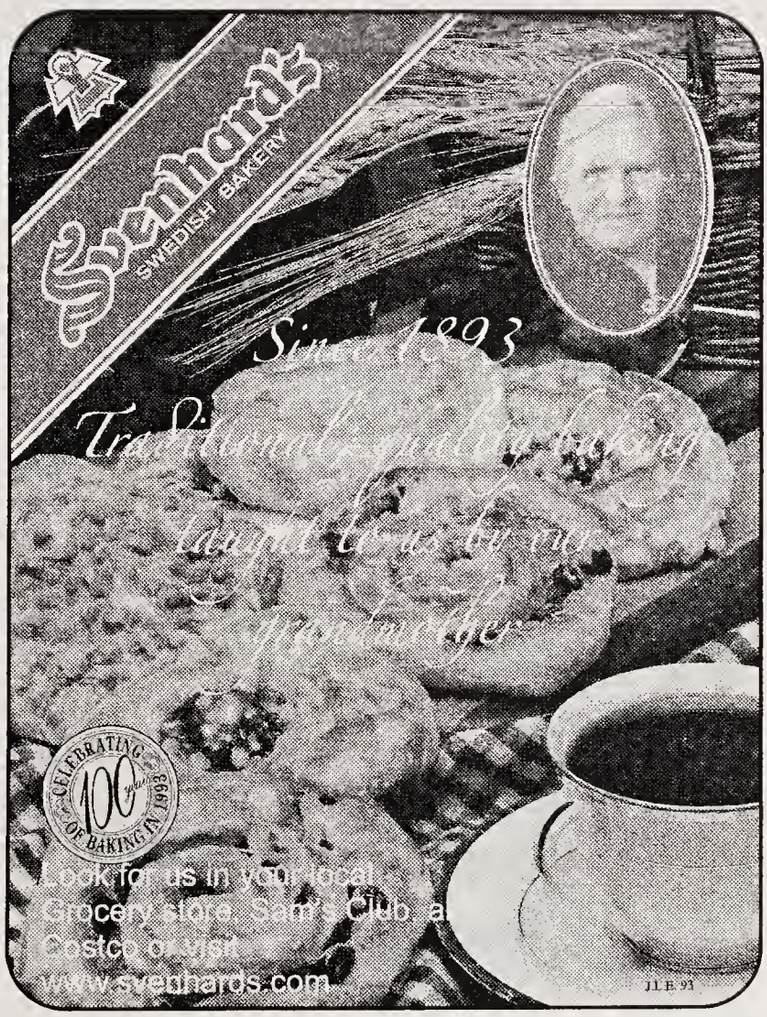
GLAD MIDSOMMAR

FROM

THE SPELMANS

Glad Midsommar

Louise Vogelsberg



Saluting the Past

Representing Sweden with a Midsummer Float
1925 San Francisco Parade
celebrating the
75th Anniversary of California Statehood.

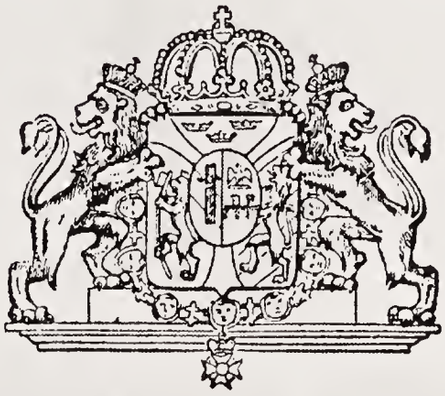
Pictured left to right
Herb Strom - age 11
Lillian Strom Walker - age 13
Ruby Peterson Nichelini - age 16

Glad Midsummer!

Carol and Ed Madigan
Edward and Frederic Madigan

Thank you to our nephew, Michael Nichelini, SAPL President, for perpetuating our family's Swedish heritage.

GLAD MIDSOMMAR TO ALL



Ted, Astrid, Zander, and Juliana Olsson

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Please contact us at swed_school@yahoo.com

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Fylgia Lodge

#119 Vasa Order of America in San Francisco
congratulates our Maid of Honor

Erika Talbot

And wishes all

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Ted Olsson, Chair, 415.864.2945
http:/www.scandinavius.com/vasa/fylgia.html
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Fylgia Lodge, youthful at 103 years,
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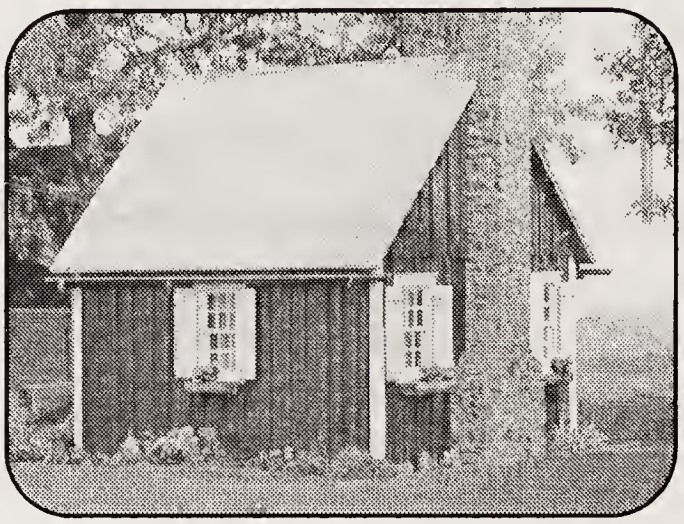

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2010 Sveadal Calendar Of Events

July 4	Svea Lodge Pancake Breakfast Ice Cream Social	9:00 AM 3:00 PM
July 3-4	SAPL Tennis Tournament (Horseshoes Too!) Dinner & Dance	All-Day 6:00 PM
July 10	Sveadal Club's 52nd Annual Golf Tournament Dinner	All-Day 6:00 PM
July 11	Sveadal Governors' Meeting	11:00 AM
July 17	Christmas in July	TBA
July 24	Sveadal's 84th Anniversary Dinner & Dance	All-Day 6:00 PM
July 25	Swedish American Patriotic League Meeting	11:00 AM
August 1	East Bay Day	All-Day
August 8	Sveadal Governors' Meeting	11:00 AM
August 14	Sveadal Club's ~ Sveadal Day Dinner & Dance	All-Day 6:00 PM
September 4-6	S.A.P.L.'s 82nd Annual Labor Day Weekend Dinner & Dance	All-Day
September 6	26th Annual Blender Run	8:00 AM
September 25	Closing Weekend in Sveadal -- Clean-up Day -- Dinner	6:00 PM
September 26	Sveadal Cabin Owners' Meeting	10:00 AM

Midsummer Volunteer Committee Chairpersons

Midsummer Chairmen
Mary Ann Nichelini & Sandy Angel Watts

Admission Ticket Sales - Eve Nichelini
Advertisement Coordinator - Louise Vogelsberg
Big Board Drawing - Michael Nichelini
Bouquets for Maids of Honor - Lisa Stiles & Sandie Hersh
Clubhouse Host - Muriel Beroza
Coffee - The Brays, The Morrisons & Linda Zalko
Communications - Astrid Olsson
Dance Floor Bar Service - Kathleen "Poonie" Erikson & Jessica Eurotas
Maypole Dancing - Karin Forsell
Dinner - Erik Peterson
Dinner Bar Service - Susan & Fred Bianucci, Mary Ann Nichelini
Dinner Table Set-up - Kelly Hanley
Dinner Ticket Sales - Astrid Olsson
Evening Dance Organizer - Karin Sayegh
Midsummer Café - Rich Peterson
Master of Ceremonies - Michael Nichelini
Maypole - Ken Weissenborn
Parking - Daria "Twinkle" Peterson
Parking Field Set Up - Matthew Nichelini & Michael Nichelini
Picnic Table Group Reservations - Karin Sayegh
Program Layout & Printing - Michael Nichelini
Queen and Court - Carol Talbot & Karin Sayegh
Security - Michael Nichelini
Sound - Ryan Massey
Stage Construction - Doug Carlson & Steve Peterson
Swedish Organizations Liaison - Ted Olsson
Stage Decorations - Anita Peterson & Svea Lodge
Sunday Morning Snacks - Daria "Twinkle" Peterson
Swedish Musicians - Jan Nordin
Sveadal Tours - Fred Bianucci & Ted Olsson
Vendors - Susan Bianucci
Clean-up - Sveadal Employees and Management
Mark Hanley, Steve Spelman and Sveadal Kids

Always on Call - Sveadal Management

Practice Fire Safety
Smoking Allowed Only In Horseshoe Pit Area

Campers & Picnickers:
NO OPEN FIRES

PLEASE USE EXTREME CAUTION
THIS IS AN ESPECIALLY DRY YEAR

Please Keep Sveadal Clean and Beautiful

Please Put Litter in GARBAGE Cans

You MUST wear you admission bracelet on your wrist
at ALL TIMES as proof of admission

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2011 Midsummer ~ June 18th
2012 Midsummer ~ June 23rd
2013 Midsummer ~ June 22nd

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